

Mr. Scott Koch, Information and Privacy Coordinator
For the Agency Release Panel
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D.C. 20505

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Dear Mr. Koch: This is an appeal to the Agency Release Panel of your final response letter dated 19 October 2006 to my referenced FOIA request.

I asked for an unredacted copy of the article "A Lingering Tragedy" concerning Raoul Wallenberg that appeared in "Studies in Intelligence" in 1981 and, in particular, I asked that the name of the author be unredacted. I continue to believe that release of the redacted material would provide historians of the Wallenberg affair with important new historical information.

The copy of the article you sent me with your 19 October letter appears to be the same sanitized article as originally published, with the original redactions. Your letter cites exemptions (b)(1) and (b)(3) as the reasons for maintaining the redactions.

Inasmuch as the requested article is 25 years old and the Wallenberg affair occurred even earlier, I request the Agency Release Panel to reconsider whether the unredacted article really relates to current national defense or foreign policy (b)(1); and whether the release of the author's name would constitute an unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of Wallenberg or other individuals (b)(6). I respectfully maintain that release of the unredacted article at this time would violate neither of these exceptions.

Very truly yours,

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